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Thanks for looking into the status of this application. I am attaching a copy of the Supplemental Response that was filed on May 30, 2003. I would very much appreciate the opportunity to meet with you to discuss this response. My phone number is 585-338-8417.

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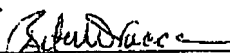
  
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